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TO: Dental Providers Participating in MassHealth

FROM: Wendy E. Warring, Commissioner

RE: Dental Manual (Dental HCPCS)

The federal government has revised the HCFA Common Procedure Coding System (HCPCS) for MassHealth billing.

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This letter transmits changes for your provider manual that contain the new and revised codes. The revised Appendix E is effective for dates of service on or after April 30, 2002. The new codes introduced under the 2002 HCPCS code book are effective for dates of service on or after April 30, 2002. We will accept either the new or old codes for dates of service through July 28, 2002. For dates of service on or after July 29, 2002, you must use the new codes to receive payment.

If you wish to obtain a fee schedule, you may purchase Division of Health Care Finance and Policy regulations from either the Massachusetts State Bookstore or from the Division of Health Care Finance and Policy (see addresses and telephone numbers below). You must contact them first to find out the price of the publication. The Division of Health Care Finance and Policy also has the regulations available on disk. The regulation titles for dental services listed on the attached pages are 114.3 CMR 16.00: Surgery and Anesthesia Services and 114.3 CMR 18.00: Radiology.

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NEW MATERIAL

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The **all-numeric** service codes that are listed in this appendix may be used when providing services to members in all categories of assistance, including category 4 (EAEDC), and may only be used by oral and maxillofacial surgeons who have submitted proof of certification to the Division. **The alphanumeric codes in Sections 621, 622, and 623** may not be used for services provided to category 4 members, with the exception of Service Codes D7999, X2098, and X2099.

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Service

<u>Code</u> <u>Service Description</u>

OFFICE OR OTHER OUTPATIENT SERVICES

New Patient

- Office or other outpatient visit for the evaluation and management of a new patient, which requires these three key components (does not include dentoalveolar diagnosis):
 - an expanded problem focused history;
 - an expanded problem focused examination; and
 - straightforward medical decision making

Established Patient

- Office or other outpatient visit for the evaluation and management of an established patient, which requires at least two of these three key components (does not include dentoalveolar diagnosis):
 - a problem-focused history;
 - a problem-focused examination; and
 - straightforward medical decision making

INITIAL HOSPITAL CARE

New or Established Patient

- Initial hospital care, per day, for the evaluation and management of a patient, which requires these three key components:
 - a detailed or comprehensive history;
 - a detailed or comprehensive examination; and
 - medical decision making that is straightforward or of low complexity
- Initial hospital care, per day, for the evaluation and management of a patient, which requires these three key components:
 - a comprehensive history;
 - a comprehensive examination; and
 - medical decision making of moderate complexity
- Initial hospital care, per day, for the evaluation and management of a patient, which requires these three key components:
 - a comprehensive history;
 - a comprehensive examination; and
 - medical decision making of high complexity

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<u>Code</u> <u>Service Description</u>

SUBSEQUENT HOSPITAL CARE

- Subsequent hospital care, per day, for the evaluation and management of a patient, which requires at least two of these three key components:
 - a problem-focused interval history;
 - a problem-focused examination;
 - medical decision making that is straightforward or of low complexity
- Subsequent hospital care, per day, for the evaluation and management of a patient, which requires at least two of these three key components:
 - an expanded problem-focused interval history;
 - an expanded problem-focused examination;
 - medical decision making of moderate complexity
- Subsequent hospital care, per day, for the evaluation and management of a patient, which requires at least two of these three key components:
 - a detailed interval history;
 - a detailed examination;
 - medical decision making of high complexity

INITIAL INPATIENT CONSULTATIONS

New or Established Patient

- Initial inpatient consultation for a new or established patient, which requires these three key components:
 - a problem-focused history;
 - a problem-focused examination; and
 - straightforward medical decision making
- Initial inpatient consultation for a new or established patient, which requires these three key components:
 - an expanded problem-focused history;
 - an expanded problem-focused examination; and
 - straightforward medical decision making
- Initial inpatient consultation for a new or established patient, which requires these three key components:
 - a detailed history;
 - a detailed examination; and
 - medical decision making of low complexity
- Initial inpatient consultation for a new or established patient, which requires three key components:
 - a comprehensive history;
 - a comprehensive examination; and
 - medical decision making of moderate complexity

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- 99255 Initial inpatient consultation for a new or established patient, which requires these three key components:
 - a comprehensive history;
 - a comprehensive examination; and
 - medical decision making of high complexity

FOLLOW-UP INPATIENT CONSULTATIONS

Established Patient

- Follow-up inpatient consultation for an established patient, which requires at least two of these three key components:
 - a problem-focused interval history;
 - a problem-focused examination;
 - medical decision making that is straightforward or of low complexity

EMERGENCY DEPARTMENT SERVICES

New or Established Patient

- Emergency department visit for the evaluation and management of a patient, which requires these three key components:
 - a problem-focused history;
 - a problem-focused examination; and
 - straightforward medical decision making
- Emergency department visit for the evaluation and management of a patient, which requires these three key components:
 - an expanded problem-focused history;
 - an expanded problem-focused examination; and
 - medical decision making of low complexity
- Emergency department visit for the evaluation and management of a patient, which requires these three key components:
 - an expanded problem-focused history;
 - an expanded problem-focused examination; and
 - medical decision making of moderate complexity
- Emergency department visit for the evaluation and management of a patient, which requires these three key components:
 - a detailed history;
 - a detailed examination; and
 - medical decision making of moderate complexity

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Code **Service Description**

- 99285 Emergency department visit for the evaluation and management of a patient, which requires these three key components within the constraints imposed by the urgency of the patient's clinical condition and/or mental status:
 - a comprehensive history;
 - a comprehensive examination; and
 - medical decision making of high complexity
- 621 Service Codes and Descriptions: Endodontic Services

See 130 CMR 420.426, 420.437, and 420.447 for limitations.

Service

Code **Service Description**

Periapical Services

D3410	Apicoectomy/periradicular surgery—anterior (per tooth) (includes retrograde filling) (P.A.)
D3421	Apicoectomy/periradicular surgery—bicuspid (first root) (P.A.)
D3426	Apicoectomy/periradicular surgery (each additional root) (P.A.)
X2104	Apicoectomy with root-canal filling (same visit) (P.A.) (I.C.)

622 Service Codes and Descriptions: Exodontic Services

See 130 CMR 420.429, 420.439, and 420.449 for limitations.

Service

Code **Service Description**

Extractions (including local anesthesia, suture removal, and routine postoperative care)

D7110	Extraction—single tooth
D7120	Extraction—each additional tooth
D7210	Surgical removal of erupted tooth requiring elevation of mucoperiosteal flap and removal of bone
	and/or section of tooth
D7220	Removal of impacted tooth—soft tissue (P.A.)
D7230	Removal of impacted tooth—partially bony (P.A.)
D7240	Removal of impacted tooth—completely bony (P.A.)

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Service Code	Service Description
	<u>Introduction</u>
D7280	Surgical exposure of impacted or unerupted tooth for orthodontic reasons (including orthodontic attachments) (P.A.)
D7281	Surgical exposure of impacted or unerupted tooth to aid eruption (for orthodontic purposes) (P.A.)
	Surgical Procedures
D7310 D7320 D7340 D7350	Alveoplasty in conjunction with extractions—per quadrant Alveoplasty not in conjunction with extractions—per quadrant (P.A.) Vestibuloplasty—ridge extension (second epithelialization) (P.A.) Vestibuloplasty—ridge extension (including soft-tissue grafts, muscle reattachments, revision of
D7430 D7431	soft-tissue attachment, and management of hypertrophied and hyperplastic tissue) (P.A.) Excision of benign tumor—lesion diameter up to 1.25 cm lesion diameter greater than 1.25 cm
D7450 D7451 D7460 D7461 D7471	Removal of odontogenic cyst or tumor–lesion diameter up to 1.25 cm lesion diameter greater than 1.25 cm Removal of nonodontogenic cyst or tumor–lesion diameter up to 1.25 cm lesion diameter greater than 1.25 cm Removal of exostosis—per site (P.A.)
D7960 D7970	Frenulectomy (frenectomy or frenotomy)—separate procedure (P.A.) Excision of hyperplastic tissue—per arch (P.A.)
	<u>Suture</u>
X2001 X2002	Control of secondary oral or nasopharyngeal hemorrhage in hospital by consultant Control of secondary oral or nasopharyngeal hemorrhage in hospital by operating surgeon
	<u>Unlisted Procedures</u>
D7999 X8000 41899	Unspecified oral surgery procedure, by report (P.A.) (I.C.) Unspecified oral surgery procedure, emergency, by report (I.C.) Unlisted procedure, dentoalveolar structures (I.C.)
	Other Procedures
D9110 D9930	Palliative (emergency) treatment of dental pain—minor procedure Treatment of complications (postsurgical)—unusual circumstances, by report (I.C.)

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<u>Code</u> <u>Service Description</u>

Oral Screenings

Oral screenings include but are not limited to: initial examination, consultation, salivary flow measurement, oral hygiene evaluations and instructions, construction of fluoride trays, fluoride treatments, follow-up examinations, follow-up salivary evaluations, and requests from referring doctors. Oral screening services are reimbursed through a global fee, which is an inclusive fee for the services listed above. To receive the global fee, the medical diagnosis, a request from the treating hospital, and a description of the services to be provided must be submitted with the prior authorization request to facilitate an evaluation of medical necessity.

X2098 Oral screening in an inpatient hospital setting for members scheduled for radiation treatment, chemotherapy, bone marrow transplant, or organ transplant (P.A.) (I.C.)

X2099 Oral screening in an outpatient hospital setting for members scheduled for radiation treatment, chemotherapy, bone marrow transplant, or organ transplant (P.A.) (I.C.)

624 Service Codes and Descriptions: Surgical Services

See 130 CMR 420.451 for limitations.

Service

<u>Code</u> <u>Service Description</u>

INTEGUMENTARY SYSTEM

SKIN, SUBCUTANEOUS AND ACCESSORY STRUCTURES

Incision and Drainage

10060	Incision and drainage of abscess (e.g., carbuncle, suppurative hidradenitis, cutaneous or
	subcutaneous abscess, cyst, furuncle, or paronychia); simple or single
10061	complicated or multiple
10120	Incision and removal of foreign body, subcutaneous tissues; simple
10121	complicated
10140	Incision and drainage of hematoma, seroma, or fluid collection
10160	Puncture aspiration of abscess, hematoma, bulla, or cyst
10180	Incision and drainage, complex, postoperative wound infection

Excision—Debridement

11010	Debridement including removal of foreign material associated with open fracture(s) and/or
	dislocation(s); skin and subcutaneous tissues
11011	skin subcutaneous tissue, muscle fascia, and muscle

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Service Code	Service Description
11012	skin, subcutaneous tissue, muscle fascia, muscle, and bone
11040	Debridement; skin, partial thickness
11041 11042	skin, full thickness skin and subcutaneous tissue
11042	skin, subcutaneous tissue, and muscle
11043	skin, subcutaneous tissue, muscle, and bone
	Biopsy
11100	Biopsy of skin, subcutaneous tissue and/or mucous membrane (including simple closure), unless
	otherwise listed (separate procedure); single lesion
11101	each separate/additional lesion (List separately in addition to code for primary procedure.)
	Shaving of Epidermal or Dermal Lesions
11310	Shaving of epidermal or dermal lesion, single lesion, face, ears, eyelids, nose, lips, mucous membrane; lesion diameter 0.5 cm or less
11311	lesion diameter 0.6 to 1.0 cm
11312	lesion diameter 1.1 to 2.0 cm
11313	lesion diameter over 2.0 cm
	Excision—Benign Lesions
11440	Excision, other benign lesion (unless listed elsewhere), face, ears, eyelids, nose, lips, mucous membrane; lesion diameter 0.5 cm or less
11441	lesion diameter 0.6 to 1.0 cm
11442	lesion diameter 1.1 to 2.0 cm
11443	lesion diameter 2.1 to 3.0 cm
11444	lesion diameter 3.1 to 4.0 cm
11446	lesion diameter over 4.0 cm
	Excision—Malignant Lesions
11640	Excision, malignant lesion, face, ears, eyelids, nose, lips; lesion diameter 0.5 cm or less
11641	lesion diameter 0.6 to 1.0 cm
11642	lesion diameter 1.1 to 2.0 cm
11643	lesion diameter 2.1 to 3.0 cm
11644 11646	lesion diameter 3.1 to 4.0 cm lesion diameter over 4.0 cm
11040	resion diameter over 4.0 cm

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MISCELLANEOUS

Introduction

11960	Insertion of tissue expander(s) for other than breast, including subsequent expansion
11970	Replacement of tissue expander with permanent prosthesis
11971	Removal of tissue expander(s) without insertion of prosthesis

REPAIR (CLOSURE)

Repair—Simple

12011	Simple repair of superficial wounds of face, ears, eyelids, nose, lips, and/or mucous membranes;
	2.5 cm or less
12013	2.6 cm to 5.0 cm
12014	5.1 cm to 7.5 cm
12015	7.6 cm to 12.5 cm
12016	12.6 cm to 20.0 cm
12017	20.1 cm to 30.0 cm
12018	over 30.0 cm
12020	Treatment of superficial wound dehiscence; simple closure
12021	with packing

Repair—Intermediate

12051	Layer closure of wounds of face, ears, eyelids, nose, lips, and/or mucous membranes; 2.5 cm or
	less
12052	2.6 cm to 5.0 cm
12053	5.1 cm to 7.5 cm
12054	7.6 cm to 12.5 cm
12055	12.6 cm to 20.0 cm
12056	20.1 cm to 30.0 cm
12057	over 30.0 cm

Repair—Complex

13131	Repair, complex, forehead, cheeks, chin, mouth, neck, axillae, genitalia, hands, and/or feet; 1.1 cm to 2.5 cm
13132	2.6 cm to 7.5 cm
13133	each additional 5 cm or less (List separately in addition to code for primary procedure.)
13150	Repair, complex, eyelids, nose, ears, and/or lips; 1.0 cm or less
13151	1.1 cm to 2.5 cm
13152	2.6 cm to 7.5 cm
13153	each additional 5 cm or less (List separately in addition to code for primary procedure.)
13160	Secondary closure of surgical wound or dehiscence, extensive or complicated

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sternocleidomastoid, levator scapulae)

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	Adjacent Tissue Transfer or Rearrangement		
14040	Adjacent tissue transfer or rearrangement, forehead, cheeks, chin, mouth, neck, axillae, genitalia, hands, and/or feet; defect 10 sq cm or less		
14041	defect 10.1 sq cm to 30.0 sq cm		
14060	Adjacent tissue transfer or rearrangement, eyelids, nose, ears, and/or lips; defect 10 sq cm or less		
14061	defect 10.1 sq cm to 30.0 sq cm		
	Free Skin Grafts		
15000	Surgical preparation or creation of recipient site by excision of open wounds, burn eschar, or scar (including subcutaneous tissues); first 100 sq cm or one percent of body area of infants and children		
15120	Split graft, face, scalp, eyelids, mouth, neck, ears, orbits, genitalia, hands, feet, and/or multiple digits; first 100 sq cm or less, or one percent of body area of infants and children (except 15050)		
15121	each additional 100 sq cm, or each additional one percent of body area of infants and children, or part thereof (List separately in addition to code for primary procedure.)		
15240	Full thickness graft, free, including direct closure of donor site, forehead, cheeks, chin, mouth, neck, axillae, genitalia, hands, and/or feet; 20 sq cm or less		
15241	each additional 20 sq cm (List separately in addition to code for primary procedure.)		
15260	Full thickness graft, free, including direct closure of donor site, nose, ears, eyelids, and/or lips; 20 sq cm or less		
15261	each additional 20 sq cm (List separately in addition to code for primary procedure.)		
	Flaps (Skin and/or Deep Tissues)		
15570	Formation of direct or tubed pedicle, with or without transfer; trunk		
15572	scalp, arms, or legs		
15574	forehead, cheeks, chin, mouth, neck, axillae, genitalia, hands, or feet		
15576	eyelids, nose, ears, lips, or intraoral		
15620	Delay of flap or sectioning of flap (division and inset); at forehead, cheeks, chin, neck, axillae, genitalia, hands, or feet		
15630	at eyelids, nose, ears, or lips		
15732	Muscle, myocutaneous, or fasciocutaneous flap; head and neck (e.g., temporalis, masseter muscle,		

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lesion diameter 1.1 to 2.0 cm

lesion diameter 2.1 to 3.0 cm

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	Other Flaps and Grafts
15770	Graft; derma-fat-fascia
	Other Procedures
15819 15820 15821 15822 15823 15840 15841 15842 15845	Cervicoplasty Blepharoplasty, lower eyelid (P.A.) with extensive herniated fat pad (P.A.) Blepharoplasty, upper eyelid; (P.A.) with excessive skin weighting down lid (P.A.) Graft for facial nerve paralysis; free fascia graft (including obtaining fascia) free muscle graft (including obtaining graft) free muscle flap by microsurgical technique regional muscle transfer
	Burns, Local Treatment
16000	Initial treatment, first degree burn, when no more than local treatment is required
	DESTRUCTION
	Destruction, Benign or Premalignant Lesions
17000	Destruction (e.g., laser surgery, electrosurgery, cryosurgery, chemosurgery, surgical curettement), all benign or premalignant lesions (e.g., actinic keratoses) other than skin tags or cutaneous vascular proliferative lesions; first lesion
17003	second through 14 lesions, each (List separately in addition to code for first lesion.)
17004	Destruction (e.g., laser surgery, electrosurgery, cryosurgery, chemosurgery, surgical curettement), all benign or premalignant lesions (e.g., actinic keratoses) other than skin tags or cutaneous vascular proliferative lesions; 15 or more lesions
17106	Destruction of cutaneous vascular proliferative lesions (e.g., laser technique); less than 10 sq cm
	Destruction, Malignant Lesions, Any Method
17280	Destruction, malignant lesion (e.g., laser surgery, electrosurgery, cryosurgery, chemosurgery, surgical curettement), face, ears, eyelids, nose, lips, mucous membrane; lesion diameter 0.5 cm or less
17281	lesion diameter 0.6 to 1.0 cm

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17284 17286	lesion diameter 3.1 to 4.0 cm lesion diameter over 4.0 cm
	Other Procedures
17999	Unlisted procedure, skin, mucous membrane, and subcutaneous tissue (I.C.)
	MUSCULOSKELETAL SYSTEM
	<u>GENERAL</u>
	<u>Incision</u>
20000 20005	Incision of soft tissue abscess (e.g., secondary to osteomyelitis); superficial deep or complicated
	<u>Excision</u>
20200 20205	Biopsy, muscle; superficial deep
20206	Biopsy, muscle, percutaneous needle
20220	Biopsy, bone, trocar, or needle; superficial (e.g., ilium, sternum, spinous process, ribs)
20240	Biopsy, bone, excisional; superficial (e.g., ilium, sternum, spinous process, ribs, trochanter of femur)
20245	deep (e.g., humerus, ischium, femur)
	Introduction or Removal
20520	Removal of foreign hody in muscle or tendon sheath; simple

20520	Removal of foreign body in muscle or tendon sheath; simple
20525	deep or complicated
20605	Arthrocentesis, aspiration and/or injection; intermediate joint, bursa or ganglion cyst (e.g.,
	temporomandibular, acromioclavicular, wrist, elbow, or ankle, olecranon bursa)
20615	Aspiration and injection for treatment of bone cyst
20670	Removal of implant; superficial (e.g., buried wire, pin, or rod) (separate procedure)
20680	deep (e.g., buried wire, pin, screw, metal band, nail, rod, or plate)
20690	Application of a uniplane (pins or wires in one plane), unilateral, external fixation system
20692	Application of a multiplane (pins or wires in more than one plane), unilateral, external fixation
	system (e.g., Ilizarov, Monticelli type)
20693	Adjustment or revision of external fixation system requiring anesthesia (e.g., new pin(s) or wire(s)
	and/or new ring(s) or bar(s))
20694	Removal, under anesthesia, of external fixation system

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Grafts (or Implants)

20900	Bone graft, any donor area; minor or small (e.g., dowel or button)
20902	major or large
20910	Cartilage graft; costochondral
20912	nasal septum
20920	Fascia lata graft; by stripper
20922	by incision and area exposure, complex or sheet
20924	Tendon graft, from a distance (e.g., palmaris, toe extensor, plantaris)
20926	Tissue grafts, other (e.g., paratenon, fat, dermis)

Other Procedures

20955	Bone graft with microvascular anastomosis; fibula
20956	iliac crest
20962	other than fibula, iliac crest, or metatarsal
20969	Free osteocutaneous flap with microvascular anastomosis; other than iliac crest, metatarsal, or
	great toe (I.C.)
20970	iliac crest
20999	Unlisted procedure, musculoskeletal system, general (I.C.)

HEAD

Incision

21010 Arthrotomy, temporomandibular joint

Excision

21015	Radical resection of tumor (e.g., malignant neoplasm), soft tissue of face or scalp
21025	Excision of bone (e.g., for osteomyelitis or bone abscess); mandible
21026	facial bone(s)
21029	Removal by contouring of benign tumor of facial bone (e.g., fibrous dysplasia) (P.A.)
21030	Excision of benign tumor or cyst of facial bone other than mandible
21031	Excision of torus mandibularis
21032	Excision of maxillary torus palatinus
21034	Excision of malignant tumor of facial bone other than mandible
21040	Excision of benign cyst or tumor of mandible; simple
21041	complex
21044	Excision of malignant tumor of mandible
21045	radical resection

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21050 21060 21070	Condylectomy, temporomandibular joint (separate procedure) Meniscectomy, partial or complete, temporomandibular joint (separate procedure) Coronoidectomy (separate procedure)
	Introduction or Removal
21076	Impression and custom preparation; surgical obturator prosthesis
21077	orbital prosthesis
21079 21080	interim obturator prosthesis (P.A.) (I.C.) definitive obturator prosthesis (P.A.) (I.C.)
21080	mandibular resection prosthesis (P.A.) (I.C.)
21082	palatal augmentation prosthesis (P.A.) (I.C.)
21083	palatal lift prosthesis (P.A.) (I.C.)
21084	speech aid prosthesis (P.A.) (I.C.)
21085	oral surgical splint (P.A.) (I.C.)
21086	auricular prosthesis (P.A.) (I.C.)
21087 21088	nasal prosthesis (P.A.) (I.C.) facial prosthesis (P.A.) (I.C.)
21089	Unlisted maxillofacial prosthetic procedure (P.A.) (I.C.)
21100	Application of halo type appliance for maxillofacial fixation, includes removal (separate procedure)
21110	Application of interdental fixation device for conditions other than fracture or dislocation, includes removal (I.C.)
21116	Injection procedure for temporomandibular joint arthrography
	Repair, Revision, and/or Reconstruction
21137	Reduction forehead; contouring only (P.A.)
21138	contouring and application of prosthetic material or bone graft (includes obtaining autograft) (P.A.)
21139	contouring and setback of anterior frontal sinus wall (P.A.)
21141	Reconstruction midface, LeFort I; single piece, segment movement in any direction (e.g., for Long Face Syndrome), without bone graft (P.A.)
21142	two pieces, segment movement in any direction, without bone graft
21143	three or more pieces, segment movement in any direction, without bone graft
21145	single piece, segment movement in any direction, requiring bone grafts (includes obtaining autografts) (P.A.)
21146	two pieces, segment movement in any direction, requiring bone grafts (includes obtaining autografts) (e.g., ungrafted unilateral alveolar cleft) (P.A.)
21147	three or more pieces, segment movement in any direction, requiring bone grafts (includes obtaining autografts) (e.g., ungrafted bilateral alveolar cleft or multiple osteotomies) (P.A.)

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Service Code	Service Description
21150	Reconstruction midface, LeFort II; anterior intrusion (e.g., Treacher-Collins Syndrome) (P.A.)
21151	any direction, requiring bone grafts (includes obtaining autografts) (P.A.)
21154	Reconstruction midface, LeFort III (extracranial), any type, requiring bone grafts (includes
	obtaining autografts); without LeFort I (P.A.)
21155	with LeFort I (P.A.)
21159	Reconstruction midface, LeFort III (extra- and intracranial) with forehead advancement (e.g., mono bloc), requiring bone grafts (includes obtaining autografts); without LeFort I (P.A.)
21160	with LeFort I (P.A.)
21172	Reconstruction superior-lateral orbital rim and lower forehead, advancement or alteration, with or without grafts (includes obtaining autografts) (P.A.)
21175	Reconstruction, bifrontal, superior-lateral orbital rims and lower forehead, advancement or
	alteration (e.g., plagiocephaly, trigonocephaly, brachycephaly), with or without grafts (includes obtaining autografts) (P.A.)
21181	Reconstruction by contouring of benign tumor of cranial bones (e.g., fibrous dysplasia), extracranial
	Reconstruction of orbital walls, rims, forehead, nasoethmoid complex following intra- and
	extracranial excision of benign tumor of cranial bone (e.g., fibrous dysplasia), with multiple
	autografts (includes obtaining grafts); total area of bone grafting less than 40 sq cm
21183	total area of bone grafting greater than 40 sq cm but less than 80 sq cm
21184	total area of bone grafting greater than 80 sq cm
21188	Reconstruction midface, osteotomies (other than LeFort type) and bone grafts (includes obtaining autografts) (P.A.)
21193	Reconstruction of mandibular rami, horizontal, vertical, C, or L osteotomy; without bone graft
	(P.A.)
21194	with bone graft (includes obtaining graft) (P.A.)
21195	Reconstruction of mandibular rami and/or body, sagittal split; without internal rigid fixation (P.A.)
21196	with internal rigid fixation (P.A.)
21198	Osteotomy, mandible, segmental (P.A.)
21206	Osteotomy, maxilla, segmental (e.g., Wassmund or Schuchard) (P.A.)
21208	Osteoplasty, facial bones; augmentation (autograft, allograft, or prosthetic implant) (P.A.)
21209	reduction (P.A.)
21210	Graft, bone; nasal, maxillary or malar areas (includes obtaining graft) (P.A.)
21215	mandible (includes obtaining graft) (P.A.)
21230	Graft; rib cartilage, autogenous, to face, chin, nose, or ear (includes obtaining graft) (P.A.)
21235	ear cartilage, autogenous, to nose or ear (includes obtaining graft) (P.A.)
21240	Arthroplasty, temporomandibular joint, with or without autograft (includes obtaining graft) (P.A.)
21242	Arthroplasty, temporomandibular joint, with allograft (P.A.)
21243	Arthroplasty, temporomandibular joint, with prosthetic joint replacement (P.A.)
21244	Reconstruction of mandible, extraoral, with transosteal bone plate (e.g., mandibular staple bone plate) (P.A.)
21247	Reconstruction of mandibular condyle with bone and cartilage autografts (includes obtaining grafts) (e.g., for hemifacial microsomia) (P.A.)
21255	Reconstruction of zygomatic arch and glenoid fossa with bone and cartilage (includes obtaining autografts) (P.A.)

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21260	Periorbital osteotomies for orbital hypertelorism, with bone grafts; extracranial approach (P.A.)
21261	combined intra- and extracranial approach (P.A.)
21263	with forehead advancement (P.A.)
21267	Orbital repositioning, periorbital osteotomies, unilateral, with bone grafts; extracranial approach (P.A.)
21268	combined intra- and extracranial approach (P.A.)
21270	Malar augmentation, prosthetic material (P.A.)
21275	Secondary revision of orbitocraniofacial reconstruction (P.A.)
21280	Medial canthopexy (separate procedure) (P.A.)
21282	Lateral canthopexy (P.A.)
21295	Reduction of masseter muscle and bone (e.g., for treatment of benign masseteric hypertrophy); extraoral approach (P.A.)
21296	intraoral approach (P.A.)
	Other Procedures
21299	Unlisted craniofacial and maxillofacial procedure (P.A.) (I.C.)
	Fracture and/or Dislocation
21300	Closed treatment of skull fracture without operation
21310	Closed treatment of nasal bone fracture without manipulation
21315	Closed treatment of nasal bone fracture; without stabilization
21320	with stabilization
21325	Open treatment of nasal fracture; uncomplicated
21330	complicated, with internal and/or external skeletal fixation
21335	with concomitant open treatment of fractured septum
21336	Open treatment of nasal septal fracture, with or without stabilization
21337	Closed treatment of nasal septal fracture, with or without stabilization
21338	Open treatment of nasoethmoid fracture; without external fixation
21339	with external fixation
21340	Percutaneous treatment of nasoethmoid complex fracture, with splint, wire, or headcap fixation, including repair of canthal ligaments and/or the nasolacrimal apparatus
21343	Open treatment of depressed frontal sinus fracture
21344	Open treatment of complicated (e.g., comminuted or involving posterior wall) frontal sinus fracture, via coronal or multiple approaches
21345	Closed treatment of nasomaxillary complex fracture (LeFort II type), with interdental wire fixation or fixation of denture or splint

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21346	Open treatment of nasomaxillary complex fracture (LeFort II type); with wiring and/or local fixation
21347	requiring multiple open approaches
21348	with bone grafting (includes obtaining graft)
21355	Percutaneous treatment of fracture of malar area, including zygomatic arch and malar tripod, with manipulation
21356	Open treatment of depressed zygomatic arch fracture (e.g., Gillies approach)
21360	Open treatment of depressed malar fracture, including zygomatic arch and malar tripod
21365	Open treatment of complicated (e.g., comminuted or involving cranial nerve foramina) fracture(s) of malar area, including zygomatic arch and malar tripod; with internal fixation and multiple surgical approaches
21366	with bone grafting (includes obtaining graft)
21385	Open treatment of orbital floor blowout fracture; transantral approach (Caldwell-Luc type operation)
21386	periorbital approach
21387	combined approach
21390	periorbital approach, with alloplastic or other implant
21395	periorbital approach with bone graft (includes obtaining graft)
21400	Closed treatment of fracture of orbit, except blowout; without manipulation
21401	with manipulation
21406	Open treatment of fracture of orbit, except blowout; without implant
21407	with implant
21408	with bone grafting (includes obtaining graft)
21421	Closed treatment of palatal or maxillary fracture (LeFort I type), with interdental wire fixation or fixation of denture or splint
21422	Open treatment of palatal or maxillary fracture (LeFort I type)
21423	complicated (comminuted or involving cranial nerve foramina), multiple approaches
21431	Closed treatment of craniofacial separation (LeFort III type) using interdental wire fixation of denture or splint
21432	Open treatment of craniofacial separation (LeFort III type); with wiring and/or internal fixation
21433	complicated (e.g., comminuted or involving cranial nerve foramina), multiple surgical approaches
21435	complicated, utilizing internal and/or external fixation techniques (e.g., head cap, halo device, and/or intermaxillary fixation)
21436	complicated, multiple surgical approaches, internal fixation, with bone grafting (includes obtaining graft)
21440	Closed treatment of mandibular or maxillary alveolar ridge fracture (separate procedure)
21445	Open treatment of mandibular or maxillary alveolar ridge fracture (separate procedure)
21450	Closed treatment of mandibular fracture; without manipulation
21451	with manipulation
21452	Percutaneous treatment of mandibular fracture, with external fixation
21453	Closed treatment of mandibular fracture with interdental fixation

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21454	Open treatment of mandibular fracture with external fixation
21461	Open treatment of mandibular fracture; without interdental fixation
21462	with interdental fixation
21465	Open treatment of mandibular condylar fracture
21470	Open treatment of complicated mandibular fracture by multiple surgical approaches including
	internal fixation, interdental fixation, and/or wiring of dentures or splints
21480	Closed treatment of temporomandibular dislocation; initial or subsequent
21485	complicated (e.g., recurrent requiring intermaxillary fixation or splinting), initial or
	subsequent
21490	Open treatment of temporomandibular dislocation
21493	Closed treatment of hyoid fracture; without manipulation
21494	with manipulation
21495	Open treatment of hyoid fracture
21497	Interdental wiring, for condition other than fracture
	Other Procedures
21499	Unlisted musculoskeletal procedure, head (I.C.)
	<u>ARTHROSCOPY</u>
20000	A -41
29800	Arthroscopy, temporomandibular joint, diagnostic, with or without synovial biopsy (separate
29804	procedure) (P.A.) (I.C.)
29804	Arthroscopy, temporomandibular joint, surgical (P.A.) (I.C.) Unlisted procedure, arthroscopy
29999	Omisted procedure, artifioscopy
	RESPIRATORY SYSTEM
	<u>NOSE</u>

Excision

30130	Excision turbinate, partial or complete, any method
30140	Submucous resection turbinate, partial or complete, any method

Repair

30520	Septoplasty or submucous resection, with or without cartilage scoring, contouring or replacement
	with graft
30580	Repair fistula; oromaxillary (combine with 31030 if antrotomy is included) (I.C.)
30600	oronasal

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Other Procedures

30901	Control nasal hemorrhage, anterior, simple (limited cautery and/or packing) any method
30903	Control nasal hemorrhage, anterior, complex (extensive cautery and/or packing) any method
30905	Control nasal hemorrhage, posterior, with posterior nasal packs and/or cautery, any method; initial
30906	subsequent
30999	Unlisted procedure, nose

ACCESSORY SINUSES

Incision

31000	Lavage by cannulation; maxillary sinus (antrum puncture or natural ostium)
31020	Sinusotomy, maxillary (antrotomy); intranasal
31030	radical (Caldwell-Luc) without removal of antrochoanal polyps
31032	radical (Caldwell-Luc) with removal of antrochoanal polyps

Excision

31225 Maxillectomy; without orbital exenteration

Endoscopy

31233	Nasal/sinus endoscopy, diagnostic with maxillary sinusoscopy (via inferior meatus or canine fossa
	puncture)
31256	Nasal/sinus endoscopy, surgical, with maxillary antrostomy
31267	with removal of tissue from maxillary sinus
31290	Nasal/sinus endoscopy, surgical, with repair of cerebrospinal fluid leak; ethmoid region
31292	Nasal/sinus endoscopy, surgical; with medial or inferior orbital wall decompression
31293	with medial orbital wall and inferior orbital wall decompression
31294	with optic nerve decompression

Other Procedures

31299 Unlisted procedure, accessory sinuses (I.C.)

LARYNX

Introduction

31500	Intubation, endotracheal, emergency procedure
31502	Tracheotomy tube change prior to establishment of fistula tract

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TRACHEA AND BRONCHI

Incision

31600	Tracheostomy, planned (separate procedure)
31603	Tracheostomy, emergency procedure; transtracheal
31605	cricothyroid membrane

HEMIC AND LYMPHATIC SYSTEMS

LYMPH NODES AND LYMPHATIC CHANNELS

Excision

38500	Biopsy or excision of lymph node(s); open, superficial
38505	by needle, superficial (e.g., cervical, inguinal, axillary)
38510	open, deep cervical node(s)

DIGESTIVE SYSTEM

LIPS

Excision

40490	Biopsy of lip
40500	Vermilionectomy (lip shave), with mucosal advancement
40510	Excision of lip; transverse wedge excision with primary closure
40520	V-excision with primary direct linear closure
40525	full thickness, reconstruction with local flap (e.g., Estlander or fan)
40527	full thickness, reconstruction with cross lip flap (Abbe-Estlander)
40530	Resection of lip, more than one-fourth, without reconstruction

Repair (Cheiloplasty)

40650	Repair lip, full thickness; vermilion only
40652	up to half vertical height
40654	over one-half vertical height, or complex
40700	Plastic repair of cleft lip/nasal deformity; primary, partial or complete, unilateral
40701	primary bilateral, one stage procedure
40702	primary bilateral, one of two stages
40720	secondary, by recreation of defect and reclosure (P.A.)
40761	with cross lip pedicle flap (Abbe-Estlander type), including sectioning and inserting of
	pedicle (P.A.)

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Other Procedures

40799 Unlisted procedure, lips (I.C.)

VESTIBULE OF MOUTH

Incision

40800	Drainage of abscess, cyst, hematoma, vestibule of mouth; simple
40801	complicated
40804	Removal of embedded foreign body, vestibule of mouth; simple
40805	complicated
40806	Incision of labial frenum (frenotomy)

Excision, Destruction

40808	Biopsy, vestibule of mouth
40810	Excision of lesion of mucosa and submucosa, vestibule of mouth; without repair
40812	with simple repair
40814	with complex repair
40816	complex, with excision of underlying muscle
40818	Excision of mucosa of vestibule of mouth as donor graft
40819	Excision of frenum, labial or buccal (frenumectomy, frenulectomy, frenectomy)
40820	Destruction of lesion or scar of vestibule of mouth by physical methods (e.g., laser, thermal, cryo,
	chemical)

Repair

40830	Closure of laceration, vestibule of mouth; 2.5 cm or less
40831	over 2.5 cm or complex
40840	Vestibuloplasty; anterior (P.A.)
40842	posterior, unilateral (P.A.)
40843	posterior, bilateral (P.A.)
40844	entire arch (P.A.)
40845	complex (including ridge extension, muscle repositioning) (P.A.)

Other Procedures

40899 Unlisted procedure, vestibule of mouth (I.C.)

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dissection (Commando type)

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TONGUE AND FLOOR OF MOUTH

	TONGE AND FEOUN OF MOUTH
	<u>Incision</u>
41000 41005 41006 41007 41008 41009 41010 41015 41016 41017 41018	Intraoral incision and drainage of abscess, cyst, or hematoma of tongue or floor of mouth; lingual sublingual, superficial sublingual, deep, supramylohyoid submental space submandibular space masticator space Incision of ligual frenum (frenotomy) Extraoral incision and drainage of abscess, cyst, or hematoma of floor of mouth; sublingual submental submandibular masticator space
41010	·
	<u>Excision</u>
41100	Biopsy of tongue; anterior two-thirds
41105	posterior one-third
41108	Biopsy of floor of mouth
41110	Excision of lesion of tongue without closure
41112	Excision of lesion of tongue with closure; anterior two-thirds
41113	posterior one-third
41114	with local tongue flap
41115	Excision of lingual frenum (frenectomy)
41116	Excision, lesion of floor of mouth
41120	Glossectomy; less than one-half tongue
41130	hemiglossectomy
41135	partial, with unilateral radical neck dissection
41140	complete or total, with or without tracheostomy, without radical neck dissection
41145	complete or total, with or without tracheostomy, with unilateral radical neck dissection
41150	composite procedure with resection floor of mouth and mandibular resection, without radical neck dissection
41153	composite procedure with resection floor of mouth, with suprahyoid neck dissection
41155	composite procedure with resection floor of mouth, mandibular resection, and radical neck

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	<u>Repair</u>	
41250 41251 41252	Repair of laceration 2.5 cm or less; floor of mouth and/or anterior two-thirds of tongue posterior one-third of tongue Repair of laceration of tongue, floor of mouth, over 2.6 cm or complex	
	Other Procedures	
41500 41510 41520 41599	Fixation of tongue, mechanical, other than suture (e.g., K-wire) Suture of tongue to lip for micrognathia (Douglas type procedure) Frenoplasty (surgical revision of frenum, e.g., with Z-plasty) Unlisted procedure, tongue, floor of mouth (I.C.)	
	DENTOALVEOLAR STRUCTURES	
	Incision	
41800 41805 41806	Drainage of abscess, cyst, hematoma from dentoalveolar structures Removal of embedded foreign body from dentoalveolar structures; soft tissues bone	
	Excision, Destruction	
41820 41821 41822 41823 41825 41826 41827 41828 41830 41850	Gingivectomy, excision gingiva, each quadrant (P.A.) (I.C.) Operculectomy, excision pericoronal tissues Excision of fibrous tuberosities, dentoalveolar structures Excision of osseous tuberosities, dentoalveolar structures Excision of lesion or tumor (except listed above), dentoalveolar structures; without repair with simple repair with complex repair Excision of hyperplastic alveolar mucosa, each quadrant (specify) Alveolectomy, including curettage of osteitis or sequestrectomy Destruction of lesion (except excision), dentoalveolar structures (I.C.)	
	Other Procedures	
41874 41899	Alveoloplasty, each quadrant (specify) Unlisted procedure, dentoalveolar structures (I.C.)	

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PALATE AND UVULA

Incision

42000 Drainage of abscess of palate, uvula

Excision, Destruction

42100	Biopsy of palate, uvula
42104	Excision, lesion of palate, uvula; without closure
42106	with simple primary closure
42107	with local flap closure
42120	Resection of palate or extensive resection of lesion
42140	Uvulectomy, excision of uvula (P.A.)
42145	Palatopharyngoplasty (e.g., uvulopalatopharyngoplasty, uvulopharyngoplasty) (P.A.)
42160	Destruction of lesion, palate or uvula (thermal, cryo, or chemical)

Repair

42180	Repair, laceration of palate; up to 2 cm
42182	over 2 cm or complex
42200	Palatoplasty for cleft palate, soft and/or hard palate only
42205	Palatoplasty for cleft palate, with closure of alveolar ridge; soft tissue only
42210	with bone graft to alveolar ridge (includes obtaining graft)
42215	Palatoplasty for cleft palate; major revision
42220	secondary lengthening procedure
42225	attachment pharyngeal flap
42226	Lengthening of palate, and pharyngeal flap
42227	Lengthening of palate, with island flap
42235	Repair of anterior palate, including vomer flap
42260	Repair of nasolabial fistula
42280	Maxillary impression for palatal prosthesis (P.A.)
42281	Insertion of pin-retained palatal prosthesis (P.A.)

Other Procedures

42299 Unlisted procedure, palate, uvula (I.C.)

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SALIVARY GLAND AND DUCTS

Incision

42300	Drainage of abscess; parotid, simple
12305	parotid, complicated
42310	Drainage of abscess; submaxillary or sublingual, intraoral
42320	submaxillary, external
12325	Fistulization of sublingual salivary cyst (ranula);
12326	with prosthesis
42330	Sialolithotomy; submandibular (submaxillary), sublingual or parotid, uncomplicated, intraoral
12335	submandibular (submaxillary), complicated, intraoral
12340	parotid, extraoral or complicated intraoral
	<u>Excision</u>
42400	Biopsy of salivary gland; needle
12405	incisional
12408	Excision of sublingual salivary cyst (ranula)
12409	Marsupialization of sublingual salivary cyst (ranula)
42410	Excision of parotid tumor or parotid gland; lateral lobe, without nerve dissection
42415	lateral lobe, with dissection and preservation of facial nerve
12420	total, with dissection and preservation of facial nerve
12425	total, en bloc removal with sacrifice of facial nerve
12440	Excision of submandibular (submaxillary) gland
42450	Excision of sublingual gland
	Repair
42500	Plastic repair of salivary duct, sialodochoplasty; primary or simple
12505	secondary or complicated
12507	Parotid duct diversion, bilateral (Wilke type procedure);
12508	with excision of one submandibular gland
42509	with excision of both submandibular glands
42510	with ligation of both submandibular (Wharton's) ducts

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42550	Injection procedure for sialography
42600	Closure salivary fistula
42650	Dilation salivary duct
42660	Dilation and catheterization of salivary duct, with or without injection
42665	Ligation salivary duct, intraoral
42699	Unlisted procedure, salivary glands or ducts (I.C.)

PHARYNX, ADENOIDS, AND TONSILS

Incision

42700	Incision and drainage abscess; peritonsillar
42720	retropharyngeal or parapharyngeal, intraoral approach
42725	retropharyngeal or parapharyngeal, external approach

Excision, Destruction

42800	Biopsy; oropharynx
42802	hypopharynx
42804	nasopharynx, visible lesion, simple
42806	nasopharynx, survey for unknown primary lesion
42808	Excision or destruction of lesion of pharynx, any method
42809	Removal of foreign body from pharynx
42810	Excision branchial cleft cyst or vestige, confined to skin and subcutaneous tissues
42815	Excision branchial cleft cyst, vestige, or fistula, extending beneath subcutaneous tissues and/or
	into pharynx
42842	Radical resection of tonsil, tonsillar pillars, and/or retromolar trigone; without closure
42844	closure with local flap (e.g., tongue, buccal)
42845	closure with other flap
42860	Excision of tonsil tags
42870	Excision or destruction lingual tonsil, any method (separate procedure)

Repair

42900 Suture pharynx for wound or injury

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Other Procedures

42960	Control oropharyngeal hemorrhage, primary or secondary (e.g., post-tonsillectomy); simple
42961	complicated, requiring hospitalization
42962	with secondary surgical intervention
42970	Control of nasopharyngeal hemorrhage, primary or secondary (e.g., post-adenoidectomy); simple,
	with posterior nasal packs, with or without anterior packs and/or cautery
42971	complicated, requiring hospitalization
42972	with secondary surgical intervention
42999	Unlisted procedure, pharynx, adenoids, or tonsils (I.C.)

NERVOUS SYSTEM

EXTRACRANIAL NERVES, PERIPHERAL NERVES, AND AUTONOMIC NERVOUS SYSTEM

Introduction/Injection of Anesthetic Agent (Nerve Block), Diagnostic and Therapeutic

Somatic Nerves

64400 Injection, anesthetic agent; trigeminal nerve, any division or branch

<u>Destruction by Neurolytic Agent (e.g., Chemical, Thermal, Electrical, Radiofrequency, or Chemodenervation)</u>

Somatic Nerves

Destruction by neurolytic agent, trigeminal nerve, supraorbital, infraorbital, mental, or inferior alveolar branch

Neuroplasty (Exploration, Neurolysis or Nerve Decompression)

- 64722 Decompression, unspecified nerve(s) (specify)
- Internal neurolysis, requiring use of operating microscope (List separately in addition to code for neuroplasty) (Neuroplasty includes external neurolysis)

Transection or Avulsion

64732	Transection or avulsion of; supraorbital nerve
64734	infraorbital nerve
64736	mental nerve
64738	inferior alveolar nerve by osteotomy
64740	lingual nerve

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Neurorrhaphy

64864 Suture of facial nerve; extracranial

Neurorrhaphy with Nerve Graft

Nerve graft (includes obtaining graft), head or neck; up to 4 cm in length

Other Procedures

64999 Unlisted procedure, nervous system (I.C.)

OPERATING MICROSCOPE

Microsurgical techniques, requiring use of operating microscope (List separately in addition to code for primary procedure.)

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DIAGNOSTIC RADIOLOGY (DIAGNOSTIC IMAGING)

HEAD AND NECK

70100	Radiologic examination, mandible; partial, less than four views
70110	complete, minimum of four views
70140	Radiologic examination, facial bones; less than three views
70150	complete, minimum of three views
70160	Radiologic examination, nasal bones, complete, minimum of three views
70210	Radiologic examination, sinuses, paranasal, less than three views
70220	Radiologic examination, sinuses, paranasal, complete, minimum of three views
70240	Radiologic examination, sella turcica
70328	Radiologic examination, temporomandibular joint, open and closed mouth; unilateral
70330	bilateral
70360	Radiologic examination; neck, soft tissue
70380	Radiologic examination, salivary gland for calculus

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